GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

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Waiting Period in AIIMS
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

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(a) whether the Government has any proposal for reducing the tiresome waiting period of important surgeries in AIIMS and RML;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor; and

(d) the details of the pending cases of serious surgeries to be performed in coming months?

Answer

ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND
FAMILY WELFARE
(SHRI FAGGAN SINGH KULASTE)

(a) to (d): Adequate medical care is provided to all patients who come to these hospitals for treatment within the available infrastructure. The waiting period of important surgeries is reduced by increasing the infrastructure required for the purpose which is a continuous process and is done on need basis. AIIMS and Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia (RML) New Delhi, prioritizes dates for procedures and surgeries depending on condition of patients.